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Shake a few dollars from your roll and
hand it over to the Patriotic Fund--and
don't be too modest about the amount.

The Women's Institute.

The Bow Island Women's Institute
recently elected the following officers
for the year ending December 1917--
Pres., Mabel Bromley; 1st Vice Pres.,
Louise West; 2nd Vice Pres., Agnes
Dunsmuir; Sec. Treas., Maud McWilliam;
Directors--Laura Blaine, Gertrude
Stewart and Nellie Rolfe.

We start the new year with 17 mem-
bers. An urgent invitation is extended
the country ladies to "come and
meet with us. The fees are only 25
cents a year. The January meeting
(3rd Saturday) will be held at the home
of Mrs. Bromley.

(Contributed.)

Our Institute is not for the amusement
of a select few. It is a strong,
live, active organization, and every
woman and girl in the town and
country should be brought under its
beneficial influence.

If the girls and women throughout
the rural districts knew the real value
of the instructions afforded in the
lectures given in cooking, sewing and
house nursing the Department of Agriculture
would be flooded with applications
for these lines of work.

The residents of our cities have been
given the advantage of domestic in-
struction while the residents of our
rural districts have not been so favored,
and it is most gratifying to the
department to be in a position to take
to the women in outlying districts
systematic instruction in domestic
science and domestic art.

Justice toward children and train-
ing of children are topics worthy of
discussion and taught through the
efforts of the Institute.

The main object of the organization
is toward the betterment of conditions
prevailing in home life by teaching
the highest ideals of home life and
honesty of purpose by a wise and
right bringing up of the children, by
fostering patriotism and love of
country, so that the women of this
glorious land so full of promise, may
prove a power in the upbuilding of
the great Dominion of Canada. Can there
be any higher ideal?

The Institute also takes up the
question of how to make the home
life so pleasant that the young people
do not need to seek their pleasure out-
side. Let mothers lay aside the sewing
and fathers their newspapers and read,
play and sing with the boys and
girls. A healthy family atmosphere
will not fail to make itself felt and
will be a never failing magnet in the
coming years to draw the scattered
members of the family back to the old
home.

Cheerfulness in the home, business
methods of house-keeping, hygiene and
proper sanitation are also agitated by
the Institute.

The tenets of the white slave traffic
is dealt with by the Institute and good
instructional lectures are given by the
society to encourage good, wholesome,
pure lives in the families of this
country and to use all efforts to abolish
the white slave traffic in our fair land.

Gardening and school gardens and
school fairs are conducted with the
co-operation of the women's Institutes.
The Department sends out vegetable
and flower seeds and also a number
of grains and grasses to be used
for experimental purposes.

Poultry keeping also comes under
this subject and is encouraged by the
Institute.

There are so many benefits of the
Women's Institute that it is impos-
sible for me to give details of them all.
I might say that every good pertaining
to the home and family are dealt
with by the Society, one of the great
benefits derived from the Institute
is the sociability created through the
meeting together of our members
from time to time, where personal
views are expressed and a social time
spent.

Nellie L. Bromley.

Sad Accident.

Coroner Humphries of Lethbridge
held an inquiry here on Monday night
into the circumstances surrounding
the death of Charles Greenlund. Will
Carson, who lives about fourteen
miles south of town, on the north-
east of 25-8-11, stated how a neighbor
borrowed a gun of his and returned it
Sunday, placing it in a corner. Just
after he had left, Chas. Greenlund and
Ed. Backlund, who were living with
him, came in and sat down. Seeing
the rifle in the corner, Backlund picked
it up and the rifle went off, the
bullet striking Greenlund in the neck.
The latter only lived a few minutes
after. Ed. Backlund, who is a lad of
about eighteen, apparently felt his
position keenly. He described how
he was holding the rifle diagonally
across his knees. He was not aware
the life was loaded, and could not say
exactly how it went off.

The coroner stated he was quite
satisfied it was a pure accident, but
nevertheless admonished Backlund
for his want of caution.

The man deceased was a brother-in-
law of Backlund, and had been in
child residing at Elbert, Wash., who
were just preparing to join him at
Bow Island.

The funeral took place from Bell
and Co.'s undertaking parlors on
Wednesday evening, where a short
service was held, the casket being
then taken to the depot to be trans-
ported to Washington.

Elections.

The municipal elections for the
town of Bow Island were noteworthy
this year, partly for the large vote
polled, but more particularly for the
manner in which the electors "scalped"
the three retiring Councilmen, not
one of whom was returned. The vote
was announced on Monday night at
7:15 as follows:

J. M. Bratton, 18; A. F. Dunsmuir,
40; T. L. Blaine, 43; A. Swenson-
son, 22; B. D. Smith, 25; F. W. Brown, 25.
The elections in the Rural Municipality
of Bow Island also resulted in a
big change, those elected being as
follows:--F. W. Henderson, 108; R.
S. Beattie, 70; Roy McGeorge, 52;
D. Clark, 45; A. Gregg, 40; W. E.
DePew, 58.

Concert.

The Methodist Church concert in
the Oddfellows hall on Thursday, De-
cember 7th, was a great success. There
was a large attendance and the pro-
gram was much appreciated, as was
evidenced by the frequent encores.

The following assisted in the program
-- Mrs. Fletcher and Mrs. Bolton
of Burdett, Mrs. (Dr.) Peterson,
Miss Scott and Mr. Dryden, and
the Bow Island male quartette.
Miss M. Smith presided at the piano
and the Methodist Church choir under
the capable leadership of Mr. R. E. L.
Jainson rendered two anthems. At
the close the ladies served coffee and
delightful refreshments. The total proceeds
amounted to \$40. The thanks of the
Church board are tendered to all those
who so kindly gave their service. The
chair was taken by Mr. A. F. West.

McCAULEY-MURPHY.

A quiet wedding took place at Glas-
gow, Montana, on Tuesday, Decem-
ber 6th, when Rev. Father Mallen
united in the holy bonds of matrimony
Miss Stella Pearl McCauley, of
Montana, and Mr. James F. Mur-
phy, of Williston, N.D., and formerly
of Bow Island. Mr. Murphy is the
eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. M. F.
Murphy, of 179 N. Main Street, Kalla-
pel, Montana.



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Over 2000 birds will be exhibited.
Grand Prize Money and Generous
Special Prizes. A score of cups
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Enter your birds and come.
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A fine selection of Kitchen Sinks

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A large variety, have just arrived, and you shall have
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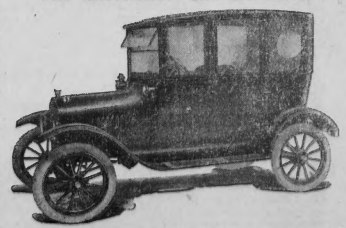
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The Sedan means stylish comfort in a big car, moderate in
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Agents for Bow Island, Winnifred, Whita and Burdett,
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There are thousands of children who are bright but frail—not sick but underdeveloped—they play with their food—they catch colds easily and do not thrive—they only need the pure, rich liquid food in

SCOTT'S EMULSION
to start them growing and keep them going. Children relish SCOTT'S and it carries rare nutritive qualities to their blood streams and gives them flesh, good-bone and strength. Nothing harmful in SCOTT'S.
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Dealing With Deserters

Offenders Committed to Jail May Be Handed Over to Military Authorities

The following order-in-council relating to deserters from the military forces has been promulgated by the government:

"In any case where a man of the active militia, or a soldier in the Canadian overseas expeditionary force, is convicted of deserting or of absconding himself from the corps or unit to which he belongs without the leave of the commanding officer of such corps or unit, and is sentenced to a term of imprisonment through the court of justice who imposed the sentence may, at any time pending its execution, upon the application of the said commanding officer or of the proper military authorities, and upon the offender agreeing to return to his military duties and not thereafter to desert or absent himself from the corps or unit to which he belongs, order that the offender be delivered to the military authorities instead of being committed to jail, and if such offender has already been committed to jail, may order his release therefrom, and that he be delivered to the military authorities."

What Is To Be Done?

Measures Must Be Taken to Make Future Wars Impossible

This war has proved that, when it comes to war, no means of slaughter are too foul to be used, no pledges too solemn to be broken, and no international agreement too strict to be torn up.

But what are the people going to do about it? Are they going to allow their cathedral domes, church steeples, campaniles, towers, barracks, stations, colleges, banks, and domestic architecture, towns, and cities to be destroyed? Are they going to let their sons and daughters be killed? Are they going to let their sons and daughters be killed? Are they going to let their sons and daughters be killed?

It is the duty of every citizen to do his part to make future wars impossible. This can be done by the use of force. Force is the only way to make future wars impossible. Force is the only way to make future wars impossible. Force is the only way to make future wars impossible.

Admiral Jellicoe looks for Canadians
The Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve
Overseas Division
will need 2000 men of good character and good physique for immediate service overseas, in the British Navy.
Pay \$1.10 per day and
Superior allowances \$2.00 monthly.
For further particulars apply in
The nearest Naval Recruiting Station,
or to the Department of the Naval Service, Ottawa.

Concrete Elevator at Fort William
With Storage Capacity of 3,500,000 Bushels
One of the greatest of all elevators is the concrete grain elevator which has just been completed at Fort William, Ont. "The storage capacity of this concrete elevator will be 3,500,000 bushels, or about 3,500 carloads, as ordinarily transported."

The outstanding features of the concrete elevator are its marine unloading cars, which can carry any of the largest boats in less than 10 minutes. The marine unloading cars have a capacity of about fifty thousand bushels an hour and are capable of unloading a big boat in less than a working day.

It will be possible to load fifty thousand bushels of grain in freight boats every hour, which is a truly amazing feat. Concrete boats can be loaded at the rate of fifty thousand bushels an hour. Aside from the great size and working capacity for handling grain which have been incorporated in this elevator, the fact that it is constructed of concrete reduces the liability of fire and with it the cost of insurance.

Ruins of Babylon

All That Is Left of the Tower of Babel Is an Immense Cube of Brick Work

No part of the world is as rich in ancient ruins as the valley of the Euphrates, in Mesopotamia. When it is remembered that tradition places the site of the Garden of Eden here, and that among its many ruins are those of ancient Babylon, the promising nature of the valley is not surprising. The excavator becomes apparent. It is near the ruins of "Babel" that is found what many scholars believe to be the remains of the Tower of Babel—an immense cube of brick work, called by the natives Birs Nimrud. Recent exhaustive excavation of the strange pile and its site has revealed the fact that the tower which once stood here consisted of seven stages of brick work on an eastern platform, each stage being of a different color. The tower boasted of a base measurement of nearly six hundred square feet, and rose to an unknown height. Even today the ruins rise some hundred and sixty feet above the level of the surrounding plain.

Only the uninformed ender of the agency of corals. The knowing ones say Holloway's Corn Cure and get relief.

Waste in England
At home the government has to practice economy, or else it is reduced rate of expenditure on the army is a waste of money. The government of good management, but we hear many examples of the wasted money. The government of good management, but we hear many examples of the wasted money.

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Creators of Chinaware
Greek Claim as Originators Not Substantiated by the Known Facts
It is to the Chinese alone that the world owes the creation of chinaware. While the Greeks, who have persistently laid claim to the invention, were making experiments with the clay, the Chinese were already completing the manufacture of porcelain. The assertions by Chinese that pottery was made in the Chinese empire as far back as 2600 years ago is a considerable question. It is a matter of indisputable fact that the Chinese were making porcelain as early as 2600 years ago.

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Old Japanese Swords

Rare Metal Responsible for Fine Temper of These Weapons

Ancient weapons, such as helmets and swords, are highly regarded in the world-wide war. This is the opinion of Capt. Murray, of the Japanese army, who adds that England has recently acquired her men in the world's best helmets. The Japanese helmets are made of gold. The Japanese helmets are made of gold. The Japanese helmets are made of gold.

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Severe Headaches

and Pains in the Back

Resulted from Deranged Kidneys and Constipation of the Bowels

It is in vain to try to regulate and restore the healthful action of the liver and kidneys. The liver and kidneys are kept in good order, and I do not have any more pains in the back. I feel like a new man. I feel like a new man. I feel like a new man.

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You receive a generously-filled box of Sure, Safe, Lighted.
ASK FOR Eddy's "Silent Parlor" Matches
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TYPHOID
"Carrying On"
The total net tonnage on the British flag in 1915 was 12,416,000 tons, as against 11,416,000 tons in 1914. This shows that in spite of war the active merchant tonnage is greater than at any time since 1914.

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USE BABY'S OWN TABLETS
Mrs. Albert Nix, St. Brieux, Sask., writes: "I have been using your Baby's Own Tablets for the past year and have had no trouble. My four little ones are all healthy and happy."

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Mother: "Children, I'm shocked! You each promise to be good and to obey your parents. I'm shocked! You each promise to be good and to obey your parents."

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Is Growing Smaller Every Day.
CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are reliable—they are gentle—they are pleasant—they are effective.

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Town of Bow Island.

AUDITORS' REPORT & FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR TEN MONTHS ENDED 31st OCTOBER,
1916.

(AUDITORS' REPORT.)

Medicine Hat, Alberta,
18th November, 1916.His Worship the Mayor and Councilors.
Town of Bow Island.
Bow Island, Alberta.

Gentlemen,
We have examined the Books and Vouchers of the Town of Bow Island for the ten months ended 31st October, 1916 and beg to report that all our requirements as Auditors have been complied with and that in our opinion the Balance Sheet appended hereto and forming part of this Report is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Town's affairs as at that date according to the best of our information, the explanations given us and as shown by the books of the Town.

The Sinking Fund Installment required to be made under the provisions of By-Law No. 23 has been duly charged against the earnings from the Gas Department and the money deposited with the Provincial Treasurer.

HENDERSON, REID & COMPANY
Chartered Accountants
Auditors to the Town.

ASSETS.		STATEMENT "A"
Cash on Hand		\$ 681.70
Cash in Bank, School Trust Account		16.85
Cash in Bank, General Account		468.72
Less due to Sinking Fund		5.41
Accounts Receivable		468.31
General Taxes 1916	7750.17	
School Taxes 1916	3300.71	
Taxes prior to 1916		10971.58
Isaac Parks	35.85	
A. Wainwright	78.83	
Less Bad Debts Reserve		78.83
Gas Consumers	565.53	
Grains and Gravel	271.25	
		4004.38
Sundry Properties.		
Real Estate	2000.00	
Town Hall	1188.38	
Office Furniture	467.03	
Street Gravel	1082.25	
Plank Sidewalks	1181.67	
Park Improvements	64.34	
Wind Graveling	137.65	
Pipe Equipment	621.80	
Pipe Halls	16.35	
Sundry Tools and Equipment	117.15	
Found	621.57	
Fire Bell	152.40	
Pipe Protection System	238.89	
Water Pumping Equipment	54.50	
Horses	16.85	
Wagon	16.85	
Harness	16.85	
		9907.13

Gas System.

Well, Mains, Services, etc.

Cumulative

Discount on Debentures

By Levy for 1916 Taxes.

General School

By Penalties Earned on Taxes.

Enforcement Costs

By Pound Fees

Dog Tax

Police Court Fees

Hire of Town Horses

Refund Municipality Tax

Tax Certificate

Surplus from Gas Dept. Revenue & Expenditure Act.

10008.09

3766.13

2947.81

1086.00

3720.18

73.70

24.70

88.35

21.08

18.37

25.00

606.50

\$10288.13

Gas Department Revenue & Expenditure Account.

To Maintenance, Regulators	11.50
Do Well	3.00
Gas Expense	13.00
Inspection	2.00
Printing Stationery and Advertising	1.00
Sundry Expenses	9.00
Proportion of Town Superintendent's Salary	50.00
Debiture Interest paid and accrued	8060.10
Debiture Principal paid and accrued	867.89
Sinking Fund Installments paid and accrued	680.34
Net Surplus carried to General Revenue and Expenditure Account	9067.13
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By Gas Earnings

Personal Charge

Gas Fittings

Turning on Gas

4050.70

400.40

23.65

1.00

\$5471.15

District News

Flowering Valley.

Seven miles north east of Winnifred.

December 6th.

Mr. Monden has moved to Medicine Hat.

Threshing has been completed in this district.

Mr. Breuhner has just purchased an up-to-date windmill.

Miss Laura Johnson just returned home from Mr. Degg's.

Mr. Walter Smith is the most recent purchaser of a new automobile.

The name of Lashburner was erroneously spelled Lashburner in our last issue.

And last two weeks under the class of school and then Xmas Holidays!

There is to be a box social and dance at Rocky Lake, the date being set for Friday, the 15th.

Winnifred Agricultural Society meets Tuesday afternoon, the 13th, in the I.O.O.F. Hall.

Mrs. Collins wife of the teacher of Rocky Lake school has gone for a visit to her folks in Lethbridge.

Mr. Johnson, Miss Rapson and Miss Johnson recently attended the big dance at the Hotel Mays in Bow Island.

A box social and dance will be held in this District shortly and the exact date will be announced in our next issue.

Mr. Phillip Rapson, father of Mrs. S. H. Breathour has been on the sick list as have also Mr. Scown and Miss Gretta Rapson.

Mr. S. H. Breathour and Mr. Bryant were hog-killing Monday. The dressed product lumped 11 cents per pound in Winnifred.

It is said here and there that big driving outfit has gone into winter quarters, having completed a most satisfactory season.

Mr. Phillip Rapson and his sister Miss Lottie Rapson are going away east for the winter, as are also the family of Mr. Chas. Dawler.

A big raffle and supper was held at the residence of Mr. S. H. Breathour on Saturday night, the house being filled to overflowing. All the poultry was disposed of, ducks bringing \$1 each and turkeys \$4 each.

A public examination and daylight entertainment will be held in our school house on the afternoon of Friday, December 22nd, and in all likelihood a dance at night. Parents will bring their booklets and the trustees have provided a generous donation for Xmas box lunch! Everybody invited.

Mr. Mason, senior trustee of C.R. Morris School District 240 who has been in the Medicine Hat Hospital for some time, is about to be removed to Red Deer, Min. His eldest son Danie died in Medicine Hat Hospital last August, and his second who is called in the 15th, is now in the trenches. This family has suffered much of late.

In all phases of their work. Articles by practical farmers from a considerable section of the paper, some being on topics set weekly for discussion, with prizes awarded for the best. The live stock, machinery, grain, poultry and other departments are live and up-to-date; veterinary and legal questions answered free by experts, are a popular feature, as are the ever interesting "Questions and Answers" in their columns. Although issued weekly, in high class, neat magazine form, with cover, the Farmer's Advocate remains at the subscription price of \$1.50 per year, and is big value for the money in these days of increased paper prices and high rates of printing.

The Farmer's Advocate and the Bow Island Review can both be obtained for \$2.25.

THINK IT OVER.

A time will come when enlightened farmers will realize that the farm household is the source of all energy, enterprise and intelligence that make farming a success and life on the farm possible. It is the indefatigable farmer's wife that makes the farm home; altogether to often she makes it a real home in spite of her husband rather than as a result of his co-operation with her. He, in his shame he said too often has by far a greater appreciation for logs, cattle, grain and hay and their proper housing and care than the equipment and environment that make practicable the proper rearing of his own children. Yet he will complain that the young people will not stay on the farm.



Auction Sale!

Saturday, December 16

At Eleven o'clock in the morning
WINNIFRED, ALBERTA30 head of horses
20 Mares
10 GeldingsWeights 1300 to 1600 lbs.
Ages from 4 to 8.Best bunch of Heavy Horses & Mares
that has been brought to Alberta.

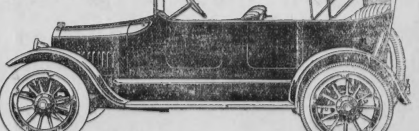
Mares mostly Percheron bred.

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AUCTIONEER.

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Motor Car Values

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McLAUGHLIN-BUICK Four

Compare these outstanding features with other cars at the price.

65 HORSE POWER
106 INCH WHEEL BASE
4 INCH TIRES
DELCO STARTING & LIGHTING

McLAUGHLIN-BUICK VALVE-IN-HEAD
ENGINES
GENUINE LEATHER UPHOLSTERING
FULL "U" DOORS--EXTRA WIDE
TONNEAU SEAT 48 INCHES WIDE

Send for detailed
Specifications to
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OSHAWA,
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Toys, Dolls, Books, Xmas Cards, etc. Jewelry, Cut Glass, Fancy Goods, EDISON Phonograph, and VICTROLA Gramophone. Twenty machines just arrived.

BLAINE DRUG & BOOK CO.

BOW ISLAND

Congoleum : Rugs and Carpets.

A LARGE SHIPMENT JUST ARRIVED.

XMAS PRESENTS.

See our Dolls, Doll Carriages, Toys, Chinaware, Glassware, etc. A fine selection of Presents in Furniture.

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Agents for Gerhard-Heintzman Pianos and Singer Sewing Machines. Enquire for Prices.

BEDELL FURNITURE CO

HOAGLIN BLOCK MAIN ST. BOW ISLAND



A Car For You

Is waiting at our Garage in Bow Island. The "OVERLAND," as you know, has a reputation that is equalled by no other. Call around and see us and let us demonstrate this car. You will gladly admit its superior points, its beautiful finish, and the quiet easy glide which accompanies its motion "OVERLAND."

T. INGOLDSBY, Bow Island, Alta.

Agent for Bow Island, Burdett, Winnifred & Whitt.

Where are You going for Xmas.

Good Clothes & a Shabby Suit Case do not go well together.

We have the largest stock of Suits, Coats, Trunks and Bags ever shown in Bow Island. Come in and select yours. They are going fast. We also have a lot of Saddlery Goods, which will make the best kind of Xmas presents. Come in and look them over. You will be under no obligation to buy.

The BOW ISLAND SADDLERY

W. J. OLIVER, proprietor.

Local and General.

Mr and Mrs. Shaver of Malek left on Tuesday for Ontario.

A donation of \$15 has been given this week to the Patriotic Fund by J. O. Brustad of Malek.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Henry and daughter Marie left Wednesday for North Dakota, Minnesota, and Wisconsin.

According to a report just issued, the Canadian Western Natural Gas Co made a profit of \$225,083 during the fiscal year 1916-1917.

H. A. Suggitt of Coldlake is reported to have a 27-acre field of flax which produced 880 bushels, an average of 32 1/2 bushels to the acre.

Capt. Dr. Leech, of the 11th Leith-Wedgie Highlanders, who afterwards transferred to the C. A. M. C. left last week with a body of men for England.

Zion Lutheran Church.—Norwegian services will be held in the Presbyterian church on Christmas Day at 11 o'clock. Fertile Plains at three p.m.—N. E. T. Brass, pastor.

David King of Lethbridge was down on Tuesday in connection with his property here. It is some three years since Mr. King was here last, and he states there is a big improvement in Bow Island.

The annual Christmas tree entertainment will be held in the Oddfellows hall on Friday evening next, December 22nd at 7:30 p.m. Splendid program by the school children Adults 25 cents, children free.

Rev. A. Barnes, supt. of Methodist missions is visiting Bow Island this week-end and will hold services on Sunday, December 17th as follows:—Fertile schoolhouse 11:30 a.m.; Congregational 3:30 p.m.; Bow Island, 7:30 p.m.

Considerable annoyance has been caused recently by small boys opening the mail boxes in the post-office, and it has been determined to stop it. Parents can help by instructing the youngsters members of the family to abstain from the practice. The town policeman it may be added, has been instructed to take offenders in future to the police station.

An interesting wedding took place on Friday, December 1st, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Johnson, 15 miles out of town, when Miss Eva Edna Johnson was united in marriage to Mr. Wm. John Sanders of Gabern, Rev. C. Bishop officiated. The date of the wedding was the anniversary of the marriage of the bride's sister to Mr. Frank Leslie, the brother to the bridegroom.

Miss Mary Mc Isaac, supt. of Women's Institutes of Alberta, accompanied by Miss Naysmith, a journalist from London, England, will be in Bow Island on Monday, December 18th. Miss Naysmith will address a meeting in the evening at eight o'clock in the Presbyterian Church, her subject being "The work of Canadian women in England and boys of our overseas forces." Open meeting for men and women. Everybody come.

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FERTILE PLAINS MISSION, Fertile plains schoolhouse.—Service every Sunday at eleven o'clock. Haycroft schoolhouse.—Service on December 24th at 2:30 o'clock. Camperville.—Service on December 31st at 2:30 p.m.

A coubled service for the three districts of Fertile Plains, Haycroft, and Camperville, will take place in Fertile Plains schoolhouse on December 25th at 2:30 p.m.

POSTPONED.

The big Stock Sale, which was to have been held at F. BROWN'S, three miles south of Burdett, to-day [Friday], has been postponed to WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20th, on account of Mr. Brown having sold his farm. He now desires to have a sale of the whole of his live stock, implements, etc.

Everything Goes Without Reserve.

LAST APPEARANCE OF THIS ADVT.

D. NEEDHAM will leave Bow Island on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 23rd, when this advt. will be withdrawn. SEIZE THIS LAST OPPORTUNITY OF BUYING CHEAP LOTS IN THE "ONLY" TOWN ON THE CROW.

Prices from \$20-\$150

The gas alone will make Bow Island a big town one of these days, and if you are wise you will invest right now. For farmers especially, this affords a splendid opportunity to obtain a building site in the best residential part of the town.

Needham & Baker

Office: Corner Lethbridge Ave. & Bell Street. Near C.P.R. Railway Crossing.

Get Your

Xmas Presents

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Cut Glass in choicest designs,

A big assortment of

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ROGERS' CUTLERY -- Knives, Forks, Spoons, etc.

HOAGLIN'S DEPARTMENT STORE

Auction Sale.

Bow Island,

Mon., Dec. 18



The following Teams:

Pair Bay Mares (in foal), pair Bay Mares (one in foal), pair Bay Mares (one in foal), pair Bay Mares (not in foal), pair Black Geldings, pair Geldings (bay and gray), pair Brown Geldings, pair, Mare and Gelding, pair brown and bay Geldings.

Ages run from 3 to 8 years, weights average 2000 lbs.

Terms—Half cash, balance 60 days approved joint notes.

R. RUTHERFORD, owner.

G. SATTERLEE, auctioneer.

Teams can be seen at Bratton's Barn.

S. G. JAMIESON

Lethbridge Avenue
Bow Island